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## INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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It is also accompanied by a copy of each prior art document cited in this report.

1. Basis of the Report

a. With regard to the language, the international search was carried out on the basis of:



the international application in the language in which it was filed.

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b.  With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application, see Box No. I.

2.  Certain claims were found unsearchable (See Box No. II)

3.  Unity of invention is lacking (See Box No. III)

4. With regard to the title,



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5. With regard to the abstract,



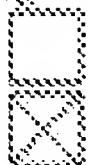
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6. With regard to the drawings,

a. the figure of the drawings to be published with the abstract is Figure No. 2



as suggested by the applicant.



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b.  none of the figures is to be published with the abstract.

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**Box IV. TEXT OF THE ABSTRACT (Continuation of Item 5 of the first sheet)****NEW ABSTRACT**

At least one embodiment of the inventive technology may be a support apparatus that includes at least two item support rails (30) supported by support legs (21) coupled thereto by pivot coupler apparatus (18) that enable rotatable motion of a coupled support rail about a substantially vertical axis (13), where at least one of the item support rails is a non-horizontal item support rail, and where a cable (40) passes through at least a portion of one or more of the support rails. In certain embodiments, the couplers may be height adjust couplers that enable substantially purely vertical, translatory height adjustment of coupled support rails and/or the couplers may couple item support rails to rail support legs at an angle other than ninety degrees. Items that may be supported include but are not limited to electronic percussion instruments.

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## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC: G10D 1/00 (2006.01)

USPC: 84/421

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC.

## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

U.S. : 84/421

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched.

Electroprint data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)  
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## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Classification of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 6610916 A (ITORSEZ) 26 AUGUST 2003 (26.08.2003), ALL	1-3, 10-16, 22-28, 34-39, 42, 44-46, AND 48
Y	US 5929355 A (ADINOLFI) 27 JUNE 1999 (26.06.1999), ALL	1-3, 10-16, 22-28, 34-39, 42, 44-46, and 48
Y	US 4,684,091 A (MOSESCHI) 04 AUGUST 1987 (04.08.1987), ALL	1-3, 10-16, 22-28, 34-39, 42, 44-46, and 48

<input type="checkbox"/>	Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.	<input type="checkbox"/>	See patent family annex.
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